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10/681,472	10/08/2003	Craig A. Urman	FLAPA.001CP1	7873

TITLE OF INVENTION: ENVIRO PACKAGE CONSISTING OF A SEALABLE BAG WITH A HANDLE FOR HORIZONTAL TRANSPORT

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